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FM AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9379
INFO AMEMBASSY BONN PRIORITY
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C O N F I D E N T I A L LIBREVILLE 1264

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR, US, GW, CF
SUBJ: NORMALIZATION OF US/CONGO RELATIONS

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1. LOOKS FROM HERE AS THOUGH GOCB FONMIN OBENGA WOULD
BE PLEASED TO DISCUSS NORMALIZATION WITH USG REPS DURING
FORTHCOMING BONN VISIT BUT THAT THIS IS NOT PRIMARY
PURPOSE OF HIS TRIP.

2. GOCB AMBASSADOR TO GABON BONGO, WHO SAW OBENGA DURING
LATTER'S STOPOVER HERE LAST LAST WEEK, TOLD ME MAY 24
THAT GOCB STILL AWAITING USG REPLY TO NOTE DELIVERED
IN WASHINGTON BY MONDJO. THUS, NO DATE FOR NEGOTIATIONS
HAS YET BEEN SET, AND OBENGA EVIDENTLY HAD NO EXPECTA-
TION AT TIME HIS LIBREVILLE VISIT THAT DISCUSSIONS WOULD
BE SCHEDULED FOR PERIOD OF HIS STAY IN BONN.

3. WHILE MY GOCB COLLEAGUE SAID NOTHING FURTHER
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ABOUT PURPOSE OF TRIP BEYOND PARIS, SELECTION OF
CAPITALS TO BE VISITED SUGGESTS THAT GOCB IS
LOOKING ABOVE ALL FOR NEW SOURCES OF FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE.STEIGMAN

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